

IN THE UNITED STATES  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**PATENT APPLICATION**

Applicant: **Sundar, et al.**

Case: **8279/DSM/BCVD/JW**

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Title: **SUBSTRATE GRIPPING APPARATUS**

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 29, 2007**

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 29, 2007, having a period for response set to expire on April 29, 2006, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for the reasons discussed below.

Although the Applicants believe that no additional fees are due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782 for all fees, including extension of time fees and additional excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.